

THE BRAINERD DISPATCH.

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LOCAL TIME TABLE.

No. 8 arrives from the South at 1:30 p. m.

the party going west at 1:40 p. m. daily except Sunday.

No. 4 arrives from the West at 11:30 p. m. the party

going south at 12:15 p. m. daily except Sunday.

No. 11 arrives from Duluth at 7:45 p. m. and

departs for the West at 8:00 p. m. daily.

No. 14 arrives from the West at 9:10 a. m. De-

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No. 11, Little Falls and Dakota train, arrives at

10:00 a. m.

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at 10:30 a. m.

No. 58 arrives from the East at 12:40 a. m. and

departs for the West at 1:00 a. m. daily.

No. 54 carries passengers to Alton, departs at

4:40 p. m.

No. 56 from N. P. Junction, arrives at 4:15 p. m.

and departs for Staples at 5:00 p. m.

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Rev. M. B. Bird, of the Second Con-

gregational church, opened the session

with prayer.

Miss Woods gave an exercise, "De-

velopment of Cube Root," which was

very interesting.

Next there was some fine music

from a chorus of girl pupils of the

High School, led by Miss Sara Jansen,

assistant principal.

Several teachers had prepared papers

on interesting topics, which others

were to discuss, but after a consulta-

tion it was decided to postpone the

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that they preferred to give the time

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Confess sin instantly. Don't allow the acid's drop to remain and corrode.

The Kentucky colonel will continue to hold the Kentucky colonel in contempt.

A sound body lies at the foundation of all that goes to make life a success. Exercise will help to give it.

A man is always looking for a nicer brand of smoking tobacco, and a woman for a better style of curling iron.

And now it is reported that Rivera was betrayed. An expurgated brand of patriotism is what Cuba needs very badly.

Despondent creditors may find solace in the fact that if the Sultan were out of debt the powers would throw him over in a minute.

T. D. Burns, of Park View, New Mexico, recently shipped eighteen car loads of fat cattle from his range to Kansas City, the shipment bringing him over \$10,000. Rustlers are so bad on his range that the necessity of railroading his stock off to market.

In dealing with office seekers Mr. McKinley may take heart of grace from a remark of Mr. Lincoln to a trusted adviser: "A president must sometimes understand the duty of peering ungratefully, and the wisdom of rejecting smart combinations with ungenial elements."

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The International Postal Congress, which meets at Washington in May, will probably consider the adoption of a special stamp having uniform value in all the countries of the Postal Union. Such a stamp could be used in payment for postage on letters, and would so greatly facilitate international exchanges that the argument seems all in its favor; but a journal devoted to "collectors" gives abundant evidence of the extent to which a "hobby" may influence one's views on social questions, and the result is a convenience in several ways. It is admitted, "yet it is to be hoped that in the interests of philately it may not be adopted."

By direction of Congress and the President the Secretary of the Navy has placed a warship at the command of the Christian Herald Bible House, New York, for the purpose of transporting any corn that generous farmers of this country may donate to the starving brethren in India. Ten thousand people are dying there every day of starvation. It is likely that their cries for bread will be liberally responded to by the farmers of the west and south, and the community should be able to send a cargo of the corn that is now going to waste for want of a market. Committees proposing to contribute should write to the Christian Herald. Wheat and other perishable products will be taken.

An association recently organized in one of the suburbs of Dayton, O., has an idea which might be profitably adopted in many smaller communities. It is called the Garden and Forest, has been formed for the purpose of beautifying the streets, the public grounds by proper planting in gardening, and by systematic efforts to abate nuisances and to control the location of houses so far as possible. Lectures are given, with views, to show the beautifications can be made attractive, and the newspaper reports say that this part of Dayton has shown marked improvement in its appearance. Prizes are offered by the association for the best example of good landscaping in public grounds, together with the condition of roadways, gutters, sidewalks, and general appearance of the houses. Prizes are also offered to boys for best vegetable gardens, and to girls for open to boys and girls for the best kept back yards, whether planted with flowers, shrubbery, climbers, or grass. Photographs are to be taken of the examples of good landscaping, and the decorations of the streets entered in competition, and a neat pamphlet has been published containing views of the prize-winning gardens last year.

The culture of the garden, carrying American plants, is quarantined at Guayaquil, Ecuador, with several cases of yellow fever.

The Transvaal government is busy drafting bill to repeal the recent patches of Mr. Chamberlain, and it is understood that these will raise serious objections.

The half-yearly report of the Manchester ship canal states that the receipts show an increase of 26,675 tons for the corresponding half of last year.

The dominion government will not press the franchise bill this session, and there is no prospect of its being looked for between the 10th and 15th of June.

The London Daily News says that it is rumored among the supporters of the government that the Duke of Leeds is to succeed the earl of Aberdeen as governor general of Canada.

Korah Coena Blanch, a French actress, is reported to have died. She was a daughter of the late Gen. Sir William F. Blanch, a Frenchman who was killed in the Boer war.

A dispatch to the New York World from Kingston, Jamaica, says: There has been a succession of terrific earthquakes in the Lowlands, killing many people and doing great damage to property.

Dr. Carl Peters, the disgraced former imperial governor of German South Africa, has been appointed to the disciplinary chamber for German colonies.

Two windows in St. Paul's churchyard for the day of the queen's visit to the cathedral on diamond jubilee day, and the windows of the cathedral have been let, one for \$1,000 and the other for \$1,500.

Otherwise.

The steamer recently brought over 100 Irish girls in the steerage.

The prevalence of cerebro-spinal meningitis in Boston, Mass., approaches an epidemic.

At the session of the Cape Town assembly Mr. Merriam gave notice of his intention to move a vote of no confidence in the ministry.

Bankers' Fidelity and Surety Company of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, capitalized at \$100,000, and heavily backed, has been incorporated.

The case between Bishop Boncompagni and the priests of his diocese is now before Mr. Martelli for final hearing.

The female wards of the state hospital for the insane at Independence, Iowa, are in quarantine on account of diptheria.

In the Connolly-Levine fight before the two of them were declared the winner in the eleventh round.

When a husband milks the cow and allows his wife to keep the money made by selling the milk, all the neighborhood women see a halo around his head whenever they look at him.

It must be nice to be a Methodist preacher; every three or four years he has to move, and the people say as things of him as if he had died.

When a man makes a vigorous kick it is usually a sign that he did something yesterday that does not please him today.

THE NEWS RESUME

DIGEST OF THE NEWS FROM ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD.

A Comprehensive Review of the Important Happenings of the Past Week Culled From the Telegraph Reports—The Notable Events at Home and Abroad That Have Attracted Attention.

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W. H. Wheeler, an old and highly respected citizen of Decatur, Iowa, is dead after a long illness.

Dean John Raymond French, vice-chancellor of Syracuse university, died at Syracuse, N. Y., after a long illness.

President Charles R. Fosdyck of the Second National Bank of New York, died at his home in that city. He was seventy-three years old.

Judge N. C. McFarland, ex-United States land commissioner, died at Toledo, Kan.

The war department has received a telegram announcing the death at Plattsburg, N. Y., barracks of Col. Horace Jewett, Twenty-first infantry, stationed at that post.

Prince Louis William August of Baden, brother of the grand duke of Baden, died at Karlsruhe. He was born in 1829 and was a general in the Prussian army.

Charles Sawyer, tent and awning maker, was killed by a falling tree at his home in New York city.

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THE TURKS SUCCESSFULLY COMBATED AT VELESTINO.

Troops Under Smolenski Put Up a Stubborn Fight Against the Turks and Are Successful in Holding Their Ground—People Show Their Dislike for Constantinople—Hall Well Satisfied With the Condition of the Army.

London, May 4.—The Times prints the following dispatch from its Volo correspondent: "When I arrived at Volo yesterday afternoon I had just seen the Turkish infantry advancing in two columns, intending to cut the railway. The Greeks, 12,000 strong, under Gen. Smolenski, by whose side I watched the encounter in the rear of the Eighth regiment, under Col. Gannakidis, gradually advanced one battalion to hold the railway, the other to support the artillery which had mounted to the heights. The Turks were evidently about 14,000 strong. Their cavalry reconnoitered the wood where the Greeks were concealed. The Greeks, however, were silent until 6, and at that time the fire fell short of being effective, though the Greeks were not at all deterred. The Turks ran away from the shells, but continued to advance in good order. Our guns really never engaged, and the railway station was defended by only a small force, with two Krupp guns. Toward the end of the day the Greeks were seen to advance in the distance, but sunset at 6:45 caused a temporary cessation of the fighting. The Greeks, however, were not at all deterred, and I managed to get through. Returning on horseback in the darkness to Volo, I was captured by the Greeks, and taken to the headquarters of the Turkish army. I was treated with much civility, and was allowed to see the Turkish army. Having met reinforcements on the way to Volo, I went out again today, when the Greeks brought up their members of the Turkish army. The Greeks were not at all deterred, and I managed to get through. Returning on horseback in the darkness to Volo, I was captured by the Greeks, and taken to the headquarters of the Turkish army. I was treated with much civility, and was allowed to see the Turkish army. Having met reinforcements on the way to Volo, I went out again today, when the Greeks brought up their members of the Turkish army. 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Every person, Lady or Gent, who holds a Reserved Seat Ticket for the opening night,

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Having recently purchased the Grocery Business of T. McMaster, and added to it my own stock, I now have the Largest Stock of Choice Groceries in the city, and Customers will be convinced by a call that I will **SELL THEM RIGHT**. Everything in the Grocery Line can be found at our Store.

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Smith & Winslow, insurance.
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Store your stoves and furniture with D. M. Clark & Co.

Five rooms to rent over the N. P. bank. Inquire at the bank.

Rustic pearl holders, with No. 2 gold pens, \$1.75, at Sundberg's.

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Fresh salt water fish received daily at Benson & Gray's Fifth street meat market.

For nice fresh eggs call at Bane & Bane's meat market, only 10 cents per dozen.

Fresh butter, the very best at Bane & Bane's meat market, only 16 cents per pound.

Furnished room for rent. Three minutes walk from depot. Inquire at this office.

Bicyclists should refresh themselves with a glass of ice cream soda at McFadden Drug Co's.

Buy your drugs and medicines at Atwood's drug store, and get a free chance on the \$100 bicycle.

Teeth filled and crowned with Gold or Porcelain, and teeth extracted with Odontunder, at Dr. Ribbel's.

FOR SALE—Barred Plymouth Rock eggs for hatching. Apply to W. D. Rogers, 71 1/2 street south. 3w.

Have you tried that pressed corned beef that Paine & McGinn are selling. If not, get a sample order.

Geo. F. Merwarth, whose death is recorded in another column carried an insurance of \$1500 in the Aetna.

A drink of ice cream soda is very refreshing after riding a wheel. Stop at McFadden Drug Co's and try it.

STRAYED—One large black cow. Leave information at Bane & Bane's meat market and receive pay for trouble.

Fresh butter and eggs at Bane & Bane's meat market. Eggs 10 cents per dozen, and butter only 16 cents per pound.

Those who miss the Smalley concert will miss the greatest musical treat Brainerd has been offered in many years.

Hoffman's second store will buy your furniture, trade you new goods for old or sell you complete house-keeping outfits on installments.

An exchange says there will be no pay car on the Northern Pacific hereafter, employees being paid off by draft direct from headquarters instead.

Don't make any mistake as to the time and place of the great Smalley Company concert. It is to be at the First Congregational church on Thursday, May 13th.

The Little Falls Herald says two young girls, evidently runaways from Brainerd, made themselves conspicuous Tuesday, and were ordered out of town by the chief of police.

FOR SALE—My residence property on Seventh street opposite post office. Will sell one, two or three lots as purchaser may desire. Inquire on premises. Mrs. C. DRESSEX.

A social hop will be given this (Friday) evening at Gardner Hall in honor of Mr. and Mrs. P. B. McTague, of Duluth, who are in the city visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Gardner.

Chas. Zarlock found a boy's blue-black Chinchilla overcoat on Wednesday evening, which the owner can have by calling at the telephone office, proving property, and paying for this notice.

M. Mahlum has this week opened a model grocery establishment on Laurel street in the Walker block. The stock is entirely new and fresh, and Mr. Mahlum expects a share of the trade, which he certainly will get.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian church will hold its regular weekly meeting Wednesday, May 12th, at the residence of Mrs. Geo. Abbott, on Pine street, between Fifth and Sixth, from 2:30 until 4:30.

A tea will be given at the residence of Mrs. E. B. McCullough on Seventh street north, on Friday May 7th. All are invited to come. A special invitation is extended to the gentlemen. Tea will be served at 6 o'clock, 25 cents.

The Atkin, Age says the little boy of Wallace Robinson at Cedar Lake, who was struck by the engine of a special last Saturday afternoon, has so far recovered as to sit up and take some nourishment. The little fellow had a close call.

Repairs have been the order of the day in the First National Bank block this week, a new hardwood floor having been laid in the rooms occupied by the Swartz drug store and in the Sundberg jewelry store new paper and a new floor have been added.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Al. Sanders has moved his family to Veranda.
Mrs. F. W. Murray is visiting St. Paul friends.
Mrs. E. Bissier is spending several days in Staples.
Geo. Moody went to Minneapolis on Monday evening.
Mrs. C. C. Lightfoot, of Staples, spent Sunday in Brainerd.
Miss Claude Doeber returned from St. Cloud on Saturday last.
Major Ruffee returned from Washington, D. C., on Saturday last.
W. H. Lanktree has accepted a position in Staples with R. H. Wise.
Leon E. Luma was in the city from Duluth over Sunday visiting friends.
Mrs. J. B. Best and children, of Staples, are visiting Brainerd friends.
J. L. Snyder, of the Y. M. C. A., was a Little Falls visitor on Saturday last.
Mr. and Mrs. George Wilson, of Staples, were Brainerd visitors over Sunday.
Mrs. J. S. Drysdale went to St. Cloud on Wednesday a visit to friends.
G. M. Walker leaves today for Glendive, Mont., where he will remain during the summer.
Mrs. J. N. Sanborn started for Marshall, Texas, on Wednesday, where she will visit some time with her mother.
Joe Markham, of Aitkin, well known in Brainerd, has gone to St. Hilarie where he has begun the construction of a new hotel.
Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Gallup will start tonight for Balfour, B. C., where Mr. Gallup intends locating, providing the country suits him.
W. H. Brimmon, formerly connected with the B. & N. M. in this city, has been appointed to a position on the B. & O. road, with headquarters at Chillicothe, Ohio.
Mrs. H. Hanscome left Wednesday for Augusta, Georgia, after spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Geo. Whitney. Mr. Hanscome has decided to locate in Georgia.
A. N. Dore, of Elk River, was in the city on Monday leaving that evening for points on the Pacific coast accompanied by A. F. Ferris of this city. They will be gone a month.
Miss Ricka Johnson returned to her home at Audubon on Wednesday, after spending some days in this city. She was accompanied by her brother, Albert Johnson, who will remain some days.
John Weed, of Ellis, was in town the first of the week on his way to Brainerd. Mr. Weed was the innocent purchaser of a team of horses stolen by O. D. Ellis, and his trip was in connection with this deal.—Staples Word.
Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Gates and children left Brainerd for the east last night. Mr. Gates has secured employment as traveling salesman for Foley Bros. & Kelly of St. Paul, and will make his headquarters at Chicago. Mrs. Gates will visit friends in New York state until September, when she will join her husband in Chicago, where they will make their home in the future. They have many friends here who regret their removal from our midst.
McGarry is Judge.
On Monday Gov. Clough appointed J. G. McGarry, of Walker, Cass county, as judge of probate of that county. The county commissioners recently appointed will meet within a few days and name the balance of the county officers and it is asserted by the knowing ones that George Hardy will be the sheriff, George Kirk, auditor, and B. F. Hartsorn, county attorney.
Ft. Ripley News.
Jerry Howe, of Brainerd, was at the Fort on Monday, looking after a log drive which was being driven down the Noka Sebie river.
Wm. Breidfeld and wife, of Brainerd, spent Sunday with their old friends, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Root.
Rumor says there is to be a wedding in the neighborhood soon.
Dr. Young, of Brainerd, visits this place every Monday morning, and has quite a number of patients in this vicinity.—Ft. Ripley Cor. Little Falls Herald.
Fine Entertainments.
The following letter explains itself:
Y. M. C. A. BUILDING, Oakland, California.
MR. J. L. SYDNEY, Brainerd, Minn.
DEAR SIR: In reply to your letter of the 24th inst., would say that The Smalley Concert Co., and J. Arthur Louning gave us two very fine entertainments. Miss Olaf Krarer we have not had yet, but she lectured in Portland, Oregon, a few years ago under my auspices, and she gives great satisfaction. In fact she is a real novelty.
Cordially yours,
NOEL N. JACKS, Tickets at the Davis Music Store, and Atwood's drug store.

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While at Motley on Monday the writer visited the Excelsior creamery which has recently been started there by M. M. McKillop, of Todd county. The business is in charge of Mrs. McKillop, and is already on a paying basis although it has been in operation only a short time. The milk of from 300 to 500 cows is tributary to this creamery and there is no doubt but that it will be a profitable thing for the farmers of that section as well as the proprietor. The butter manufactured is of a high grade, is handled by several of the Brainerd grocery houses and it always found to be as represented, first-class.

Dr. H. J. Riesland, the Brainerd Refractionist, will be in the city at the Windsor House, May 10 to May 16th. If your eyes itch, burn, blur, ache, grow dim, get tired, feel dry and gritty, squint, eyelids inflame and eyeballs become bloodshot, be sure and see the doctor for these symptoms are oftentimes the commencement of conditions that may cause you years of suffering and possibly blindness, and you should have advice thereon. Dr. Riesland has made the study of the eye and the fitting of glasses a specialty for many years, and his great success in correcting the work of the so-called eye specialists, is well known. Do not fail to see him and have your eyes and glasses examined. Office hours 8 to 10 a. m., 12 to 3, 6 to 8 p. m. Consultation free.

Fred Hoffman returned from Brainerd Tuesday, where he had been for several days, completing the purchase of the Brainerd brewery by himself and Mr. Boppie. They took possession of the property May 1, and are now operating it. Mr. Hoffman reports the property in good condition, supplied with good appliances for making beer, but needing a few additional to increase its capacity and add to the convenience of operating. He says there is no doubt of the enterprise paying fairly well, and he is well pleased with Brainerd. The large number of men employed in the railroad shops and the saw mill bring large amounts of money in circulation monthly, and the business men generally report a good volume of trade. The people of Brainerd will find Mr. Hoffman to be an excellent citizen, reliable and trustworthy in every particular. He is held in high esteem in Little Falls and has served several terms on the city council and board of education.—Little Falls Transcript.

Wm. Patterson was up before the municipal court on Tuesday charged with attempted arson and on the preliminary examination was bound over to await the action of the grand jury. It appeared at the examination that Mr. Patterson and his wife had some trouble and she had left his humble lodging on the day the fire was said to have been set. In order to bring her back he sent word according to the testimony that if she did not return he would burn her clothes up. She did not return, however, and shortly after noon on Monday smoke was seen to be issuing from the rooms occupied by them in the Fleming building, next to E. H. Simmons' store in East Brainerd, and an investigation showed a quantity of clothing burning on the floor in the rooms used for a kitchen. Patterson appeared about the time the fire was extinguished, from an adjoining room, and claimed to be ignorant of the origin of the blaze, but owing to the threats he had made in the hearing of the neighbors a warrant was issued with the above result. Patterson is about 60 years old and his wife is 18, they having been married some three years ago at Crow Wing, and in the preliminary examination yesterday she was a witness against her husband. In the meantime Mr. Patterson is stopping with Sheriff Erickson on account of being unable to get bail.

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John Elder's Remains Buried.

The remains of John Elder were brought to this city on Sunday morning by Mark Murphy, of Minot, N. D. The funeral was held on Sunday afternoon from the residence of D. R. Elder on Fourth street north, Rev. R. C. Opie preaching the funeral sermon, and the remains were laid to rest in Evergreen cemetery.

From Mr. Murphy it was learned that the unfortunate man who lost his life in the great blizzard of November last, had wandered some 25 miles from where he had unhitched his horses from the stage and had evidently made a hard struggle to reach some place of shelter from the storm. His sleigh when found was within a mile and a half of a stopping place, or ranch as it is called, and the ranch fence was within a few rods of him. He evidently did as he had circled six or seven times before he finally took his team off the sleigh, though he could reach his destination with the horses and they were unharnessed and he started but the animals evidently refused to face the storm and went in an opposite direction. The theory advanced by those who live in that region is that Mr. Elder urged his team forward as long as they could stand and when they gave up he continued the unequal struggle on foot but finally becoming exhausted lay down in the snow. When found his head was resting on his arm with a peaceful expression on his countenance as though he had gone to sleep and death had claimed him while in that condition, which was undoubtedly the case. He was bundled up in a buffalo coat and his hand was covered with a heavy winter cap encircled with a woolen muffler, the mitten of the right hand was gone and his vest was unbuttoned, the theory advanced being that as he always carried a note book or diary in his inside vest pocket, he had taken his mitten off and unbuttoned his vest to get the book in order to write some last request when he saw that he was likely to perish in the storm and that the book and mitten were dropped in the snow and lost as no trace of them has been found. The body of the deceased was in a fair state of preservation, so much so, outside of the discoloration, that the features were perfectly natural, and his relatives have the satisfaction of knowing that the remains were unmistakably identified, something unusual in a case where a body had remained exposed to the elements for so long a period. Mr. Elder's brothers in this city feel very grateful to Mr. Murphy and others in Minot and vicinity for the interest they took in the matter and will ever remember the acts of kindness extended.

Geo. F. Merwarth, aged 42 years, died at his home in East Brainerd on Tuesday morning of heart failure. Mr. Merwarth has not been well for some time and his death while a shock to his family and friends was not entirely unexpected. The deceased was a highly esteemed citizen and had been an employee of Parker & Topping in the Northern Pacific laundry for some time. The funeral will be held this (Friday) afternoon from the residence in East Brainerd under the auspices of Unity Lodge No. 194, I. O. O. F., the Moulders Union also participating, and Rev. D. D. McKay will preach the funeral sermon. Relatives of the family from Parsons, Kansas, are expected to arrive on the afternoon train today to attend the last rites. The deceased leaves a wife and five small children to mourn his loss.

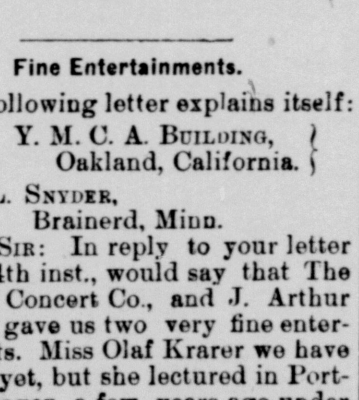
Mr. Samuel Gerard, aged 63 years, died at his home south of Brainerd on Saturday last of heart disease. Funeral services were conducted on Tuesday from the Catholic church, Rev. Fr. Lynch officiating.

Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson mourn the death of an infant daughter, aged 13 months, which occurred on Thursday. The funeral will be on Sunday from the residence, Rev. Romo officiating.

New Paper for Cass.
A. G. Bernard will start a new paper at Walker at once, which will be known as the Walker Pilot. Under a law passed by the last legislature to fit this exact case, a newspaper in a newly organized county may be established and at once become a legal newspaper for official publications. Whether arrangements have been made with the commissioners where the legal advertising of the county or not remains to be seen, but undoubtedly that is the plan. The Cass County Pioneer, which has struggled along for some years, is, for some reason best known to the locality in which it is published, not suited to a new, hustling town, and hence it was deemed necessary by the powers that be to make it possible for another paper to live there.

Encampment.
The 12th annual encampment of the Park Region Association, G. A. R., will be held in this city on June 22nd, 23rd and 24th. Arrangements are being made to make it a grand success.

THE ILLS OF LIFE.



Use Atwood's Headache Powders when suffering from a Headache in any form.

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Not Dead but Drunk.
On Monday W. D. McKay received a telegram from the superintendent's office at Duluth stating that the engineer on No. 6 had reported a dead man lying near the west whistling post at Wheelock and requested him to notify Coroner Dean and have him go on No. 5 to the place and report the result of the investigation to that office. Mr. Dean had about nine minutes to get his pick-up box to the depot as the train was in when he got the message from Mr. McKay over the telephone. In order to get the "full" particulars regarding the fatality the writer accompanied the coroner on his trip. When the whistling post was reached the conductor kindly led the coroner, the newspaper man and the coffin off and a thorough search for two miles up and down the track revealed nothing dead and the idea dawned upon the two men that either the dead man had come to life or the railroad man who reported the matter was an infernal prevaricator. At this juncture it was remembered that a section crew had been sighted some two miles down the track and their services were secured to convey the box and the men that accompanied it to Motley where it was found that the dead man was only dead drunk and had been lying near the track at the point indicated until just previous to the arrival of the party that had been sent out to pick him up.

The good people of Motley, however did not propose to let Coroner Dean return to Brainerd without a "stiff" and they very neatly arranged a figure representing a man clad in overalls, rubber coat, cap, etc., and placed it in the pick-up box and when Mr. Dean opened the box at the express office here on Wednesday morning to see what made it so infernal heavy, as he termed it, he discovered the joke that had been so neatly perpetrated.

Let it be Brainerd.
The Minneapolis Journal is authority for the statement that James Theilman has issued a challenge to any trap shot in Minnesota, for \$1,000 a side, the terms of the match to be 50 live birds, sixteen yards rise, 50 live birds, thirty yards rise, and the gun to be 12-gauge. It is also stipulated that the match shall occur at Brainerd, Little Falls or Duluth.

New Officers.
At the regular meeting of Ascalon Commandery No. 16, A. F. and A. M., Tuesday evening the following officers were elected for the ensuing term:
E. C. George A. Keene.
Gen. Geo. D. LaBar.
Capt. Gen. Henry Ribble.
Sen. Warden T. E. Netherauer.
Jen. Warden F. B. Johnson.
Treasurer J. N. Nevers.
Recorder E. M. Westfall.

Proceedings Board of Education.
The board of education held its regular monthly meeting on Monday evening, all members being present except Mr. Hurley.
A communication from Rev. Pentreath, asking for the use of the old third ward school building for Sunday School purposes was referred to the committee on buildings and grounds.
The resignation of Miss Hawkins was accepted.
A communication from Miss Marilla Fuller asking for a change of room, was referred to the committee on teachers.
Miss Jennie Paine was granted a raise of \$5 per month the coming school year, on account of being a grammar grade teacher.
The complaint of Mr. Martin against Earl Mallory was referred to the committee on teachers.
The board purchased three globes from Mr. Adams for \$25.
The teachers of the city schools were requested to turn out with their classes on Memorial Day, and assist in the exercises.
The president-appointed Messrs. Preston, Dodd and Titze a special committee to provide lemonade, etc., for school children on Memorial Day.
Miss Johnson, Miss Jansen and Miss Woods were designated to assist in the state examination after the schools close.
The superintendent was given full control over all examination papers hereafter.

On motion the board proceeded to vote for high school principal. The informal ballot resulted as follows: Prof. Hanft 5, Prof. Biggs 2, Miss Johnson 2; the first formal ballot was taken without an election. The ninth ballot stood Hanft 3 and Biggs 6. Prof. Biggs having received a majority of the full board was declared elected, and his salary fixed at \$100 per month.
For first assistant principal of the high school Miss Jansen received 8 votes, and was declared elected and salary fixed at \$60 per month.
For second assistant principal of the high school Miss Holland received 8 votes and was declared elected and salary fixed at \$50 per month.
A ballot was taken on Miss Whiteley's application, which resulted in 6 votes for 3 and against. Having received a majority of the entire board, she was declared elected and her salary fixed at \$47.50 per month.
Miss Nellie Morrill was unanimously elected a teacher to fill vacancy caused by resignation of Miss Hawkins, and salary fixed at \$47.50.
The matter of electing a teacher for the new room expected to be opened in the third ward was deferred at this time.
The finance committee was instructed to borrow funds to meet current expenses.
Several claims against the board were audited and allowed.

It ought to interest you to know that the Wisconsin Central Lines fast trains leaving St. Paul and Minneapolis daily for Ashland, Milwaukee and Chicago, reach almost all of the important cities in Wisconsin. If you intend making an eastern trip, consult your nearest ticket agent, who will give you complete information relative to the Wisconsin Central trains.
Jas. C. Pond, Gen. Pass. Agt., Milwaukee, Wis.

L. J. CALE

Has just received from the Eastern market the very Latest Novelties in

Dry Goods AND Notions

And will be pleased to have the Ladies of Brainerd inspect them

BARGAINS

In Ladies' Hose at 5 and 10 cents per pair.
Misses' Hose, 5 and 10 cents per pair.
Ladies' Shirt Waists, 50 and 75 cents, and upwards.
WASH GOODS in too many styles to name price. Call and see them. New Goods arriving daily.
Best Goods for Lowest possible Cost Price in our store.

GROCERY DEPARTMENT

Step into our Grocery Department and save money at our house for yourself and us.

Arbuckle's Lyon and XXXX Package Coffee.....	15c
40 pounds rolled oats for.....	\$1.00
Starch, per pound.....	6c
Saleratus, per pound.....	6c
5 pound sack of salt for.....	5c
30 bars best soap for.....	1.00
Parlor Matches, per box.....	12c
Cider Vinegar, per gallon.....	20c
Diamond Drip Syrup, per gallon.....	30c
Breakfast Bacon, per pound.....	9c
Leaf Lard, per pound.....	7c
3-pound can of California Peaches.....	13c
Potatoes, per bushel.....	25c
Best 4-tie parlor broom.....	25c
Footstools, per 1,000.....	5c
Best spices, ginger, pepper, and mustard, for 1-4 pound can.....	5c
Best soda crackers, per pound.....	7c
Best layer raisins, per pound.....	10c

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For Anything in the Grocery Line Call on P. M. LAGERQUIST. We carry the Finest Stock in the Northwest, and Our Goods are always Fresh and "Up-to-Date," Staple and Fancy Groceries * FLOUR AND FEED. * Lagerquist Block, South Sixth Street.

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Never Before Seen in Brainerd

The production of realistic depiction of human beings and objects in motion is of very recent invention, and has created a sensation throughout the world. It is a most entrancing sight. We have secured this attraction for an entire week, because it has nowhere been able to satisfy public demand fully in less time.

PRICES Reserved Seats, 25 and 35 cents; General Admission, 25 cents; Gallery, 15 cents. Reserved Seat Sale now open at E. F. Atwood's drug store.

LADIES' FREE NIGHT.

Every person, Lady or Gent, who holds a Reserved Seat Ticket for the opening night,

Monday, May 10th, will be entitled to one lady's admission and reserved seat **FREE** for that night only.

Arthur Hagberg,
Successor to T. McMaster.
Groceries, Provisions, Flour and Feed.
Odd Fellows' Block, Sixth Street.
Having recently purchased the Grocery Business of T. McMaster, and added to it my own stock, I now have the Largest Stock of Choice Groceries in the city, and Customers will be convinced by a call that I will **SELL THEM RIGHT**. Everything in the Grocery Line can be found at our store.
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THOMPSON & GRUENHAGEN,
Walker Block, on Laurel Street.

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Smith & Winslow rent houses.
Pressed corned beef for sale at Paine & McGinn's.

Store your stoves and furniture with D. M. Clark & Co.

Five rooms to rent over the N. P. bank. Inquire at the bank.

Rustic pen holders, with No. 2 gold pens, \$1.75, at Sundberg's.

We sell Commercial Club Coffee at 35 cents per pound. BRACH & SON.

Fresh salt water fish received daily at Benson & Gray's Fifth street meat market.

For nice fresh eggs call at Bane & Bane's meat market, only 10 cents per dozen.

Fresh butter, the very best at Bane & Bane's meat market, only 16 cents per pound.

Furnished room for rent. Three minutes walk from depot. Inquire at this office.

Bicyclists should refresh themselves with a glass of ice cream soda at McFadden Drug Co's.

Buy your drugs and medicines at Atwood's drug store, and get a free chance on the \$100 bicycle.

Teeth filled and crowned with Gold or Porcelain, and teeth extracted with Odonatour, at Dr. Ribbel's.

FOR SALE—Barred Plymouth Rock eggs for hatching. Apply to W. D. Rogers, 71 6th street south. 3d.

Have you tried that pressed corned beef that Paine & McGinn are selling. If not, get a sample order.

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A drink of ice cream soda is very refreshing after riding a wheel. Stop at McFadden Drug Co and try it.

STRAYED—One large black cow. Leave information at Bane & Bane's meat market and receive pay for trouble.

Fresh butter and eggs at Bane & Bane's meat market. Eggs 10 cents per dozen, and butter only 16 cents per pound.

Those who miss the Smalley concert will miss the greatest musical treat Brainerd has been offered in many years.

Hoffman's second store will buy your furniture, trade you new goods for old or sell you complete house-keeping outfits on installment.

An exchange says there will be no pay car on the Northern Pacific hereafter, employees being paid off by draft direct from headquarters instead.

Don't make any mistake as to the time and place of the great Smalley Company concert. It is to be at the First Congregational church on Thursday, May 13th.

The Little Falls Herald says two young girls, evidently runaways from Brainerd, made themselves conspicuous Tuesday, and were ordered out of town by the chief of police.

FOR SALE—My residence property on Seventh street opposite post office. Will sell one, two or three lots as purchaser may desire. Inquire on premises. Mrs. C. DAKES.

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The Atkin, Age says the little boy of Wallace Robinson at Cedar lake, who was struck by the engine of a special last Saturday afternoon, has so far recovered as to sit up and take some nourishment. The little fellow had a close call.

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Photographer J. S. Drysdale, of Brainerd, has leased the Wagner gallery at Atkin, says the Age, and is fitting it up in tasty style, and will open the same for business next week. His sister, Miss Drysdale will be placed in charge, and the negatives will be retouched and finished by Mr. Drysdale at his gallery in Brainerd.

The W. C. T. U. Oratorical contest previously mentioned in these columns will take place on Wednesday evening May 12, at the Congregational church at 8 o'clock. There will be seven contestants, and music will be interspersed between the recitations. The prize will be awarded by three disinterested judges, and is a beautifully engraved silver medal put up in a satin lined leather case. It is hoped that a large audience will encourage these young Misses by their presence. Admission 10 cents. The second W. C. T. U. contest will be held in the Presbyterian church May 26th.

Arrangements have been made with the B. & N. M. people whereby trains will stop at Webb Hills place on Fishtrap lake during the coming summer. Mr. Hill will arrange to accommodate parties who desire to enjoy an outing at one of the best fishing grounds in Northern Minnesota and in connection with the train Oscar Miner is arranging to run his steam boat from Gull Lake daily. This will accommodate parties who desire to go to the Club house or any other point on Gull Lake. Mr. Miner's steamer will run over in the morning to meet the down train and back to the lake after the afternoon train has arrived.

While at Motley on Monday the writer visited the Excelsior creamery which has recently been started there by M. M. McKillop, of Todd county. The business is in charge of Mrs. McKillop, and is already on a paying basis although it has been in operation only a short time. The milk of from 300 to 500 cows is tributary to this creamery and there is no doubt but that it will be a profitable thing for the farmers of that section as well as the proprietor. The butter manufactured is of a high grade, is handled by several of the Brainerd grocery houses and it always found to be as represented, first-class.

Dr. H. J. Riedland, the Brainerd Refractorist, will be in the city at the Windsor House, May 10 to May 16th. If your eyes itch, burn, blur, ache, grow dim, get tired, feel dry and gritty, squint, eyelids inflame and eyeballs become bloodshot, be sure and see the doctor for these symptoms are oftentimes the commencement of conditions that may cause you years of suffering and possibly blindness, and you should have advice thereon. Dr. Riedland has made the study of the eye and the fitting of glasses a specialty for many years, and his great success in correcting the work of the so-called eye specialists is well known. Do not fail to see him and have your eyes and glasses examined. Office hours 8 to 10 a. m., 12 to 3 p. m. Consultation free.

Fred Hoffmann returned from Brainerd Tuesday, where he had been for several days, completing the purchase of the Brainerd brewery by himself and Mr. Bopple. They took possession of the property May 1, and are now operating it. Mr. Hoffmann reports the property in good condition, supplied with good appliances for making beer, but needing a few additions to increase its capacity and add to the convenience of operating. He says there is no doubt of the enterprise paying fairly well, and he is well pleased with Brainerd. The large number of men employed in the railroad shops and the saw mill bring large amounts of money in circulation monthly, and the business men generally report a good volume of trade. The people of Brainerd will find Mr. Hoffmann to be an excellent citizen, reliable and trustworthy in every particular. He is held in high esteem in Little Falls and has served several terms on the city council and board of education.—Little Falls Transcript.

Wm. Patterson was up before the municipal court on Tuesday charged with attempted arson and on the preliminary examination was bound over to await the action of the grand jury. It appeared at the examination that Mr. Patterson and his wife had some trouble and she had left his humble lodging on the day the fire was said to have been set. In order to bring her back he sent word according to the testimony that if she did not return he would burn her clothes up. She did not return, however, and shortly after noon on Monday smoke was seen to be issuing from the rooms occupied by them in the Fleming building, next to E. H. Simmons' store in East Brainerd, and an investigation showed a quantity of clothing burning on the floor in the rooms used for a kitchen. Patterson appeared about the time the fire was extinguished, from an adjoining room, and claimed to be ignorant of the origin of the blaze, but owing to the threats he had made in the hearing of the neighbors a warrant was issued with the above result. Patterson is about 60 years old and his wife is 18, they having been married some three years ago at Crow Wing, and in the preliminary examination yesterday she was a witness against her husband. In the meantime Mr. Patterson is stopping with Sheriff Erickson on account of being unable to get bail.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Al. Sanders has moved his family to Veranda.

Mrs. F. W. Murray is visiting St. Paul friends.

Mrs. E. Bislin is spending several days in Staple.

Geo. Moody went to Minneapolis on Monday evening.

Mrs. C. C. Lightfoot, of Staples, spent Sunday in Brainerd.

Miss Claude Doeber returned from St. Cloud on Saturday last.

Major Ruffe returned from Washington, D. C., on Saturday last.

W. H. Lanktree has accepted a position in Staples with R. R. Wise.

Leon E. Lum was in the city from Duluth over Sunday visiting friends.

Mrs. J. B. Best and children, of Staples, are visiting Brainerd friends.

J. L. Snyder, of the Y. M. C. A., was a Little Falls visitor on Saturday last.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wilson, of Staples, were Brainerd visitors over Sunday.

Mrs. J. S. Drysdale went to St. Cloud on Wednesday on a visit with friends.

G. M. Walker leaves today for Glendive, Mont., where he will remain during the summer.

Mrs. J. N. Sanborn started for Marshall, Texas, on Wednesday, where she will visit some time with her mother.

Joe Markham, of Atkin, well known in Brainerd, has gone to St. Hilare where he has begun the construction of a new hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Gallup will start tonight for Balfour, B. C., where Mr. Gallup intends locating, providing the country suits him.

W. H. Brimmon, formerly connected with the B. & N. M. in this city, has been appointed to a position on the B. & O. road, with headquarters at Chillicothe, Ohio.

Mrs. H. Hanesome left Wednesday for Augusta, Georgia, after spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Geo. Whitely. Mr. Hanesome has decided to locate in Georgia.

A. N. Dars, of Elk River, was in the city on Monday leaving that evening for points on the Pacific coast accompanied by A. F. Ferris of this city. They will be gone a month.

Miss Ricka Johnson returned to her home at Aadenburg on Wednesday, after spending some days in this city. She was accompanied by her brother, Albert Johnson, who will remain some days.

John Weed, of Ellis, was in town the first of the week on his way to Brainerd. Mr. Weed was the innocent purchaser of a team of horses stolen by O. D. Ellis, and his trip was in connection with this deal.—Staples World.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Gates and children left Brainerd for the east last night. Mr. Gates has secured employment as traveling salesman for Foley Bros. & Kelly of St. Paul, and will make his headquarters at Chicago. Mrs. Gates will visit friends in New York state until September, when she will join her husband in Chicago, where they will make their home in the future. They have many friends here who regret their removal from our midst.

McGarry is Judge.

On Monday Gov. Clogh appointed J. G. McGarry, of Walker, Cass county, as judge of probate of that county. The county commissioners recently appointed will meet within a few days and name the balance of the county officers and it is asserted by the knowing ones that George Hardy will be the sheriff, George Kirk, auditor, and B. F. Hartshorn, county attorney.

Ft. Ripley News.

Jerry Howe, of Brainerd, was at the Fort on Monday, looking after a log drive which was being driven down the Noka Sebie river.

Wm. Bredfeldt and wife, of Brainerd, spent Sunday with their old friends, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Root.

Humor says there is to be a wedding in the neighborhood soon.

Dr. Young, of Brainerd, visits this evening Monday morning, and has quite a number of patients in this vicinity.—Ft. Ripley Cor. Little Falls Herald.

Fine Entertainments.

The following letter explains itself: Y. M. C. A. BUILDING, Oakland, California.

Mr. J. L. SNYDER, Brainerd, Minn.

DEAR SIR: In reply to your letter of the 24th inst., would say that The Smalley Concert Co., and J. Arthur Loring gave us two very fine entertainments. Miss Olaf Kruger we have not had yet, but she lectured in Portland, Oregon, a few years ago under my auspices, and she gives great satisfaction. In fact she is a real novelty. Cordially yours, NOEL N. JACKS.

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John Elder's Remains Buried.

The remains of John Elder were brought to this city on Sunday morning by Mark Murphy, of Minot, N. D. The funeral was held on Sunday afternoon from the residence of D. R. Elder on Fourth street north, Rev. R. C. Opie preaching the funeral sermon, and the remains were laid to rest in Evergreen cemetery.

From Mr. Murphy it was learned that the unfortunate man who lost his life in the great blizzard of November last, had wandered some 25 miles from where he had unhitched his horses from the stage and had evidently made a hard struggle to reach some place of shelter from the storm. His sleigh when found was within a mile and a half of a stopping place, or ranch as it is called, and the ranch fence was within a few rods of him. His sleigh contained wood and an ax beside plenty of robes, but Mr. Elder after having lost the road in the storm, which he evidently did as he had circled six or seven times before he finally took his team off the sleigh, though he could reach his destination with the horses and they were unharmed and he started but the animals evidently refused to face the storm and went in an opposite direction. The theory advanced by those who live in that region is that Mr. Elder urged his team forward as long as they could stand and when they gave up he continued the unequal struggle on foot but finally becoming exhausted laid down in the snow. When found his head was resting on his arm with a peaceful expression on his countenance as though he had gone to sleep and death had claimed him while in that condition, which was undoubtedly the case. He was bundled up in a buffalo coat and his head was covered with a heavy winter cap encircled with a woolen muffler, the mitten of the right hand was gone and his vest was unbuttoned, the theory advanced being that as he always carried a note book or diary in his inside vest pocket, he had taken his mitten off and unbuttoned his vest to get the book in order to write some last request when he saw that he was likely to perish in the storm and that the book and mitten were dropped in the snow and lost as no trace of them has been found. The body of the deceased was in a fair state of preservation, so much, so, outside of the discoloration, that the features were perfectly natural, and his relatives have the satisfaction of knowing that the remains were unmistakably identified, something unusual in a case where a body had remained exposed to the elements for so long a period. Mr. Elder's brothers in this city felt very grateful to Mr. Murphy and others in Minot and vicinity for the interest they took in the matter and will ever remember the acts of kindness extended.

Geo. F. Merwarth, aged 42 years, died at his home in East Brainerd on Tuesday morning of heart failure. Mr. Merwarth has not been well for some time and his death while a shock to his family and friends was not entirely unexpected. The deceased was a highly esteemed citizen and had been an employee of Parker & Topping in the Northern Pacific laundry for some time. The funeral will be held this (Friday) afternoon from the residence in East Brainerd under the auspices of Unity Lodge No. 194, I. O. O. F., the Moulders Union also participating, and Rev. D. D. McKay will preach the funeral sermon. Relatives of the family from Parsons, Kansas, are expected to arrive on the afternoon train today to attend the last rites. The deceased leaves a wife and five small children to mourn his loss.

Mr. Samuel Gerard, aged 63 years, died at his home south of Brainerd on Saturday last of heart disease. Funeral services were conducted on Tuesday from the Catholic church, Rev. Fr. Lynch officiating.

Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson mourn the death of an infant daughter, aged 13 months, which occurred on Thursday. The funeral will be on Sunday from the residence, Rev. Romo officiating.

New Paper for Oses.

A. G. Bernard will start a new paper at Walker at once, which will be known as the Walker Pilot. Under a law passed by the last legislature to fit this exact case, a newspaper in a newly organized county may be established and at once become a legal newspaper for official publications. Whether arrangements have been made with the commissioners where the new publication will get the legal advertising of the county or not remains to be seen, but undoubtedly that is the plan. The Cass County Pioneer, which has struggled along for some years, is for some reason best known to the locality in which it is published, not suited to a new, hustling town, and hence it was deemed necessary by the powers that be to make it possible for another paper to live there.

Encampment.

The 12th annual encampment of the Park Region Association, G. A. R., will be held in this city on June 22nd, 23rd and 24th. Arrangements are being made to make it a grand success.

Not Dead but Drunk.

On Monday W. D. McKay received a telegram from the superintendent's office at Duluth stating that the engineer on No. 6 had reported a dead man lying near the west whistling post at Wheelock and requested him to notify Coroner Dean and have him go on No. 5 to the place and report the result of the investigation to that office. Mr. Dean had about nine minutes to get his pick-up box to the depot as the train was in when he got the message from Mr. McKay over the telephone. In order to get the "fall" particulars regarding the fatality the writer accompanied the coroner on his trip. When the whistling post was reached the conductor kindly led the coroner, the newspaper man and the coffin off and a thorough search for two miles up and down the track revealed nothing dead and the idea dawned upon the two men that either the dead man had come to life or the railroad man who reported the matter was an infernal prevaricator. At this juncture it was remembered that a section crew had been sighted some two miles down the track and their services were secured to convey the box and the men that accompanied it to Motley where it was found that the dead man was only dead drunk and had been lying near the track at the point indicated until just previous to the arrival of the party that had been sent out to pick him up.

The good people of Motley, however did not propose to let Coroner Dean return to Brainerd without a "stiff" and they very neatly arranged a figure representing a man clad in overalls, rubber coat, cap, etc., and placed it in the pick-up box and when Mr. Dean opened the box at the express office here on Wednesday morning to see what made it so infernal heavy, as he termed it, he discovered the joke that had been so neatly perpetrated.

Let It Be Brainerd.

The Minneapolis Journal is authoritative for the statement that James Theilmann has issued a challenge to any trap shot in Minnesota, for \$1,000 a side, the terms of the match to be 50 clay birds, sixteen yards rise, 50 live birds, thirty yards rise, and the gun to be 12-gauge. It is also stipulated that the match shall occur at Brainerd, Little Falls or Duluth.

New Officers.

At the regular meeting of Ascalon Commandery No. 16, A. F. and A. M., Tuesday evening the following officers were elected for the ensuing term: E. C. George A. Keene. Capt. Geo. D. Leiler. Capt. Geo. Henri Ribble. Sen. Warden—T. E. Netterauer. Jun. Warden—F. B. Johnson. Treasurer—J. N. Nevers. Recorder—E. M. Westfall.

Proceedings Board of Education.

The board of education held its regular monthly meeting on Monday evening, all members being present except Mr. Hurley. A communication from Rev. Pen-treath, asking for the use of the old third ward school building for Sunday School purposes was referred to the committee on buildings and grounds.

The resignation of Miss Hawkins was accepted.

A communication from Miss Marilla Fuller asking for a change of room, was referred to the committee on teachers.

Miss Jennie Paine was granted a raise of \$5 per month the coming school year, on account of being a grammar grade teacher.

The complaint of Mr. Martin against Earl Mallory was referred to the committee on teachers.

The board purchased three globes from Mr. Adams for \$25.

The teachers of the city schools were requested to turn out with their classes on Memorial Day, and assist in the exercises.

The president-appointed Messrs. Preston, Dodd and Titze a special committee to provide lemonade, etc., for school children on Memorial Day.

Miss Johnson, Miss Jansen and Miss Woods were designated to assist in the state examination after the schools close.

The superintendent was given full control over all examination papers hereafter.

On motion the board proceeded to vote for high school principal. The informal ballot resulted as follows: Prof. Hanft 5, Prof. Biggs 2, Miss Johnson 2; the first formal ballot was: Hanft 5, Biggs 4. Eight ballots were taken without an election. The ninth ballot stood Hanft 3 and Biggs 6. Prof. Biggs having received a majority of the full board was declared elected, and his salary fixed at \$100 per month.

For first assistant principal of the high school Miss Jansen received 8 votes, and was declared elected and salary fixed at \$60 per month.

For second assistant principal of the high school Miss Holland received 8 votes and was declared elected and salary fixed at \$50 per month.

A ballot was taken on Miss Whiteley's application, which resulted in 6 votes for and 3 against. Having received a majority of the entire board, she was declared elected and her salary fixed at \$47.50 per month.

Miss Nellie Merritt was unanimously elected a teacher to fill vacancy caused by resignation of Miss Hawkins, and salary fixed at \$47.50.

The matter of electing a teacher for the new room expected to be opened in the third ward was deferred at this time.

The finance committee was instructed to borrow funds to meet current expenses.

Several claims against the board were audited and allowed.

It ought to interest you to know that the Wisconsin Central Lines fast trains leaving St. Paul and Minneapolis daily for Ashland, Milwaukee and Chicago, reach almost all of the important cities in Wisconsin.

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Step into our Grocery Department and save money at our house for yourself and us.

Arbuckle's, Lyon and XXXX Package Coffee	15c
40 pounds rolled oats for	\$1.00
Starch, per pound	6c
Saleratus, per pound	5c
5 pound sack of salt for	5c
30 bars best soap for	1.00
Parlor Matches, per box	12c
Older Vinegar, per gallon	20c
Diamond Drip Syrup, per gallon	30c
Breakfast Bacon, per pound	9c
Leaf Lard, per pound	7c
3-pound can of California Peaches	13c
Potatoes, per bushel	25c
Best 4-lb parlor broom	25c
Toolpicks, per 1,000	5c
Best spices, ginger, pepper, and mustard, for 1-4 pound can	5c
Best soda crackers, per pound	7c
Best layer raisins, per pound	10c

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No. 18 arrives from the West at 7:10 a. m. The

train going east at 7:20 a. m. daily

No. 11, Little Falls and Dakota train, arrives at

7:00 a. m.

No. 12, Little Falls and Dakota train, departs

at 8:00 a. m.

No. 58 arrives from the East at 12:40 a. m. and

departs for St. Paul at 1:00 a. m. Departs

for N. J. Junction at 9:00 a. m.

No. 58 from N. J. Junction arrives at 4:15 p. m.

and departs for St. Paul at 5:00 p. m.

No. 49 arrives from St. Paul at 8:10 a. m. Departs

for N. J. Junction at 9:00 a. m.

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With the tax on tea and beer raised

there will be something saved in

drinking water.

Gov. Clouston has issued a proclama-

tion fixing Saturday, May 23rd as

Memorial Day.

STAPLES has a new paper in the

tribune which has just reached our

table, and it is a newsy sheet, well

filled with advertising matter.

The new judicial district, composed

of Wright, Sherburne, Anoka and

Isanti counties, will be presided over

by Judge J. B. Tarbox, whose ap-

pointment has just been made.

The city council of Grand Forks

has passed an ordinance requiring

all dealers in cigarettes to pay a license

of \$100 per annum. There is a move

that will help kill the cigarette habit.

The board of examiners of barbers,

or the tontorial board to speak prop-

erly, has been appointed by the govern-

or and consist of J. V. Matthews, of

Fergus Falls, Paul Pettit, of Minne-

apolis, and M. E. Murry, of St. Paul.

The Minneapolis Times publishes

reports from New York to the effect

that many prominent capitalists inter-

ested in the Northern Pacific are

firmly opposed to the Hill plan of con-

solidation, and that it may be de-

feated.

The governor on Wednesday an-

nounced the members of his staff, and

Morrison county gets two places, Col.

Edgar Hoover, Little Falls, and Major

I. W. Bone, of Royalton. These

gentlemen will attend the junketing

party this year and next to the na-

tional guard encampments and other

places.

At Crookston the president of the

local gun club has been arrested on

the charge of discharging fire arms

within the city limits by some person

who has a grievance against the club.

This would materially affect several

clubs in Minnesota if they were

obliged to move their grounds out-

side the city limits.

Instead of distributing 100,000,000

pike fry in the lakes and rivers of the

state, as it was planned to do this

spring the fish and game commission

is somewhat concerned as to whether

it is going to have any considerable

number for stocking the waters of the

state this year. The annual expedi-

tion to Pike river, near Tower was a

failure, as the pike did not go to the

headwaters as usual to spawn on ac-

count of the high water.

That the Northern Pacific will

greatly improve their roadbed the

coming season is evidenced by the

fact that they received bids on Sat-

urday last from various railroad con-

tractors at St. Paul for moving some

500,000 cubic yards of earth on that

line. The improvements to be made

this summer contemplate a consider-

able work in reducing grades and

surfacing the track between Staples

and Little Falls, the reduction of

grades at Winnipeg Junction, the

same at Mandan, and the widening of

the cuts along the Yellowstone river

in Montana.

Minnesota is Recognized.

On Wednesday at Washington

Henry A. Castle the veteran citizen

of St. Paul, was nominated to be an-

ditor of the postoffice department; Stan-

ford Newell of St. Paul, was named

as minister to the Netherlands; Tans

Bixby of Red Wing, Choctaw Indian

commissioner; August F. George to

be receiver of public moneys at the

land office at Crookston. Speaking

of Mr. Bixby's appointment, the

Washington dispatches say:

Considerable surprise was mani-

fested over Bixby's selection as a

member of the Dawes Indian commis-

sion. It was supposed that the pres-

ident had made up his mind to nomi-

nate Bixby for United States treasurer.

The place given him today, however,

is said to be one that he can accept.

It pays a salary of \$5,000 per annum

WORK OF THE COUNCIL.

R. R. Wise is Ordered to Clean up Main

Street, and the Episcopal Ladies are

Granted Permission to Close

Seventh Street Dur-

ing Their Fair.

The city council met on Monday

evening with all members present ex-

cept Ald. McGinnis.

The minutes of the previous meet-

ing were read and approved, after

which the appointment of Sidney

Hockridge as special policeman with-

out pay by Mayor Nevers was con-

firmed.

Reports of different officers of the

city were received, read and filed.

The following bills were audited

and ordered paid:

Pay roll, employees, \$519 16

Pay roll, streets, 102 05

Pay roll, electric lights, 199 80

Tribune, printing, 16 51

W. P. Burke, feeding pri-

soners, 13 30

A. P. Farrar, rent, 11 00

J. B. Harris, painting, 3 00

Brainerd Tel. Ex., 9 00

Henry I. Cohen, supplies, 2 25

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Every person, Lady or Gent, who holds a Reserved Seat Ticket for the opening night, Monday, May 10th, will be entitled to one lady's admission and reserved seat **FREE** for that night only.

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Brainerd, Minn., Jan. 1, 1927.

Local News Notes.

Smith & Winslow, insurance.
Smith & Winslow loan money.
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Smith & Winslow rent houses.
Pressed corned beef for sale at Paine & McGinn's.

Store your stoves and furniture with D. M. Clark & Co.
Five rooms to rent over the N. P. bank. Inquire at the bank.

Rustic pearl holders, with No. 2 gold pens, \$1.75, at Sundberg's.

We sell Commercial Club Coffee at 35 cents per pound. BEACH & SON.

Fresh salt water fish received daily at Benson & Gray's Fifth street meat market.

For nice fresh eggs call at Bane & Bane's meat market, only 10 cents per dozen.

Fresh butter, the very best at Bane & Bane's meat market, only 16 cents per pound.

Furnished room for rent. Three minutes walk from depot. Inquire at this office.

Bicyclists should refresh themselves with a glass of ice cream soda at McCadden Drug Co.'s.

Buy your drugs and medicines at Atwood's drug store, and get a free chance on the \$100 bicycle.

Teeth filled and crowned with Gold or Porcelain, and teeth extracted with Odontunder, at Dr. Ribbel's.

FOR SALE—Barré Plymouth Rock eggs for hatching. Apply to W. D. Rogers, 71 6th street south. 3w.

Have you tried that pressed corned beef that Paine & McGinn are selling. If not, get a sample order.

Geo. F. Merwarth, whose death is recorded in another column carried an insurance of \$1500 in the Etna.

A drink of ice cream soda is very refreshing after riding a wheel. Stop at McCadden Drug Co.'s and try it.

STRAYED—One large black sow. Leave information at Bane & Bane's meat market and receive pay for trouble.

Fresh butter and eggs at Bane & Bane's meat market. Eggs 10 cents per dozen, and butter only 16 cents per pound.

Those who miss the Smalley concert will miss the greatest musical treat Brainerd has been offered in many years.

Hoffman's second store will buy your furniture, trade you new goods for old or sell you new household-keeping outfits on installments.

An exchange says there will be no pay car on the Northern Pacific hereafter, employees being paid off by draft direct from headquarters instead.

Don't make any mistake as to the time and place of the great Smalley Company concert. It is to be at the First Congregational church on Thursday, May 13th.

The Little Falls Herald says two young girls, evidently runaways from Brainerd, made themselves conspicuous Tuesday, and were ordered out of town by the chief of police.

FOR SALE—My residence property on Seventh street opposite post office. Will sell one, two or three lots as purchaser may desire. Inquire on premises. Mrs. C. DARRIN.

A social hop will be given this (Friday) evening at Gardner Hall in honor of Mr. and Mrs. P. B. McGague, of Duluth, who are in the city visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Gardner.

Chas. Zarbock found a boy's blue-black Chinchilla overcoat on Wednesday evening, which the owner can have by calling at the telephone office, proving property, and paying for this notice.

M. Mahlum has this week opened a model grocery establishment on Laurel street in the Walker block. The stock is entirely new and fresh, and Mr. Mahlum expects a share of the trade, which he certainly will get.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian church will hold its regular weekly meeting Wednesday, May 12th, at the residence of Mrs. Geo. Abbott, on Pine street, between Fifth and Sixth, from 2:30 until 4:30.

A tea will be given at the residence of Mrs. E. B. McCullough on Seventh street north, on Friday May 7th. All are invited to come. A special invitation is extended to the gentlemen. Tea will be served at 6 o'clock, 25 cents.

The Artik. Age says the little boy of Wallace Robinson at Cedar lake, who was struck by the engine of a special last Saturday afternoon, has so far recovered as to sit up and take some nourishment. The little fellow had a close call.

Repairs have been the order of the day in the First National Bank block this week, a new hardwood floor having been laid in the rooms occupied by the Swartz drug store and in the Sundberg jewelry store new paper and a new floor have been added.

Have your prescriptions compounded at Atwood's drug store, where none but strictly pure drugs are used. A free ticket given with every FIFTY-CENT purchase on a \$100 High Grade (Ladies' or Gent's) Bicycle. Call and examine it.

On Tuesday evening at a meeting of the trustees of the First Congregational church, a call was extended to Rev. Geo. W. Gallagher, of Dickinson, N. D., which will undoubtedly be accepted by that gentleman. The church has been without a regular pastor since the resignation of Rev. T. M. Edmunds.

Photographer J. S. Drysdale, of Brainerd, has leased the Wagner gallery at Aitkin, says the Age, and is fitting it up in tasty style, and will open the same for business next week. His sister, Miss Drysdale will be placed in charge, and the negatives will be retouched and finished by Mr. Drysdale at his gallery in Brainerd.

The W. C. T. U. Oratorical contest previously mentioned in these columns will take place on Wednesday evening May 12, at the Congregational church at 8 o'clock. There will be seven contestants, and music will be interspersed between the recitations. The prize will be awarded by three distinguished judges, and is a beautifully engraved silver medal put up in a satin lined leather case. It is hoped that a large audience will encourage these young Misses by their presence. Admission 10 cents. The second W. C. T. U. contest will be held in the Presbyterian church May 26th.

Arrangements have been made with the B. & N. M. people whereby trains will stop at Webb Hills place on Fishtrap lake during the coming summer. Mr. Hill will arrange to accommodate parties who desire to enjoy an outing at one of the best fishing grounds in Northern Minnesota and in connection with the trains Oscar Miner is arranging to run his steam boat from Gull Lake daily. This will accommodate parties who desire to go to the Club house or any other point on Gull Lake.

Mr. Miner's steamer will run over in the morning to meet the down train and back to the lake after the afternoon train has arrived.

While at Motley on Monday the writer visited the Excelsior creamery which has recently been started there by M. M. McKillop, of Todd county. The business is in charge of Mrs. McKillop, and is already on a paying basis although it has been in operation only a short time. The milk of from 300 to 500 cows is tributary to this creamery and there is no doubt but that it will be a profitable thing for the farmers of that section as well as the proprietor. The butter manufactured is of a high grade, is handled by several of the Brainerd grocery houses and it always found to be as represented, first-class.

Dr. H. J. Riesland, the Brainerd Refractorist, will be in the city at the Windsor House, May 10 to May 16th. If your eyes itch, burn, blur, ache, grow dim, get tired, feel dry and gritty, squint, eyelids inflame and eyeballs become bloodshot, be sure and see the doctor for these symptoms are oftentimes the commencement of conditions that may cause you years of suffering and possibly blindness, and you should have advice thereon. Dr. Riesland has made the study of the eye and the fitting of glasses a specialty for many years, and his great success in correcting the work of the so-called eye specialists, is well known. Do not fail to see him and have your eyes and glasses examined. Office hours 8 to 10 a. m., 12 to 3 p. m. Consultation free.

Fred Hoffmann returned from Brainerd Tuesday, where he had been for several days, completing the purchase of the Brainerd brewery by himself and Mr. Dapple. They took possession of the property May 1, and are now operating it. Mr. Hoffmann reports the property in good condition, supplied with good appliances for making beer, but needing a few additional to increase its capacity and add to the convenience of operating. He says there is no doubt of the enterprise paying fairly well, and he is well pleased with Brainerd. The large number of men employed in the railroad shops and the saw mill bring large amounts of money in circulation monthly, and the business men generally report a good volume of trade. The people of Brainerd will find Mr. Hoffmann to be an excellent citizen, reliable and trustworthy in every particular. He is held in high esteem in Little Falls and has served several terms on the city council and board of education.—Little Falls Transcript.

Wm. Patterson was up before the municipal court on Tuesday charged with attempted arson and on the preliminary examination was bound over to await the action of the grand jury. It appeared at the examination that Mr. Patterson and his wife had some trouble and she had left his humble lodging on the day the fire was said to have been set. In order to bring her back he sent word according to the testimony that if she did not return he would burn her clothes up. She did not return, however, and shortly after noon on Monday smoke was seen to be issuing from the rooms occupied by them in the Fleming building, next to F. H. Simmons' store in East Brainerd, and an investigation showed a quantity of clothing burning on the floor in the rooms used for a kitchen. Patterson appeared about the time the fire was extinguished, from an adjoining room, and claimed to be ignorant of the origin of the blaze, but owing to the threats he had made in the hearing of the neighbors a warrant was issued with the above result. Patterson is about 60 years old and his wife is 18, they having been married some three years ago at Crow Wing, and in the preliminary examination yesterday she was a witness against her husband. In the meantime Mr. Patterson is stopping with Sheriff Erickson on account of being unable to get bail.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Al. Sanders has moved his family to Veranda.

Mrs. F. W. Murray is visiting St. Paul friends.

Mrs. E. Bissar is spending several days in Staples.

Geo. Moody went to Minneapolis on Monday evening.

Mrs. C. C. Lightfoot, of Staples, spent Sunday in Brainerd.

Miss Claude Doeber returned from St. Cloud on Saturday last.

Major Ruffee returned from Washington, D. C., on Saturday last.

W. H. Lanktree has accepted a position in Staples with R. R. Wise.

Leon E. Luna was in the city from Duluth over Sunday visiting friends.

Mrs. J. B. Best and children, of Staples, are visiting Brainerd friends.

J. L. Snyder, of the Y. M. C. A., was a Little Falls visitor on Saturday last.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wilson, of Staples, were Brainerd visitors over Sunday.

Mrs. J. S. Drysdale went to St. Cloud on Wednesday on a visit with friends.

G. M. Walker leaves today for Glendive, Mont., where he will remain during the summer.

Mrs. J. N. Sanborn started for Marshall, Texas, on Wednesday, where she will visit some time with her mother.

Joe Markham, of Aitkin, well known in Brainerd, has gone to St. Hilare where he has begun the construction of a new hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Gallup will start tonight for Balfour, B. C., where Mr. Gallup intends locating, providing the country suits him.

W. H. Brumson, formerly connected with the B. & N. M. in this city, has been appointed to a position on the B. & O. road, with headquarters at Chillicothe, Ohio.

Mrs. H. Hanscome left Wednesday for Augusta, Georgia, after spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Geo. Whitney. Mr. Hanscome has decided to locate in Georgia.

A. N. Dare, of Elk River, was in the city on Monday leaving that evening for points on the Pacific coast accompanied by A. F. Ferris of this city. They will be gone a month.

Miss Ricka Johnson returned to her home at Audubon on Wednesday, after spending some days in this city. She was accompanied by her brother, Albert Johnson, who will remain some days.

John Weed, of Ellis, was in town the first of the week on his way to Brainerd. Mr. Weed was the innocent purchaser of a team of horses stolen by O. D. Ellis, and his trip was in connection with this deal.—Staples World.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Gates and children left Brainerd for the east last night. Mr. Gates has secured employment as traveling salesman for Foley Bros. & Kelly of St. Paul, and will make his headquarters at Chicago. Mrs. Gates will visit friends in New York state until September, when she will join her husband in Chicago, where they will make their home in the future. They have many friends here who regret their removal from our midst.

McGarry is Judge.

On Monday Gov. Clough appointed J. G. McGarry, of Walker, Cass county, as judge of probate of that county. The county commissioners recently appointed will meet within a few days and name the balance of the county officers and it is asserted by the knowing ones that George Hardy will be the sheriff, George Kirk, auditor, and B. F. Hartshorn, county attorney.

Ft. Ripley News.

Jerry Howe, of Brainerd, was at the Fort on Monday, looking after a log drive which was being driven down the Noka Sebie river.

Wm. Bredford and wife, of Brainerd, spent Sunday with their old friends, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Root.

Rumor says there is to be a wedding in the neighborhood soon.

Dr. Young, of Brainerd, visits this place every Monday morning, and has quite a number of patients in this vicinity.—Ft. Ripley Cor. Little Falls Herald.

Fine Entertainments.

The following letter explains itself: Y. M. C. A. BUILDING, Oakland, California.

Mr. J. L. Snyder, Brainerd, Minn.

DEAR SIR: In reply to your letter of the 24th inst., would say that the Smalley Concert Co., and J. Arthur Loring gave us two very fine entertainments. Miss Olat Krater we had not yet, but she lectured in Portland, Oregon, a few years ago under my auspices, and she gives great satisfaction. In fact she is a real novelty.

Cordially yours, NOEL N. JACKS, Tickets at the Davis Music Store, and Atwood's drug store.

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John Elder's Remains Buried.

The remains of John Elder were brought to this city on Sunday morning by Mark Murphy, of Minot, N. D. The funeral was held on Sunday afternoon from the residence of D. R. Elder on Fourth street north, Rev. R. C. Opie preaching the funeral sermon, and the remains were laid to rest in Evergreen cemetery.

From Mr. Murphy it was learned that the unfortunate man who lost his life in the great blizzard of November last, had wandered some 25 miles from where he had unhitched his horses from the stage and had evidently made a hard struggle to reach some place of shelter from the storm. His sleigh when found was within a mile and a half of a stopping place, or ranch as it is called, and the ranch fence was within a few rods of him. His sleigh contained wood and an ax besides plenty of robes, but Mr. Elder after having lost the road in the storm, which he evidently did as he had circled six or seven times before he finally took his team off the sleigh, though he could reach his destination with the horses and they were unharmed and he started but the animals evidently refused to face the storm and went in an opposite direction.

The theory advanced by those who live in this region is that Mr. Elder urged his team forward as long as they could stand and when they gave up he continued the unequal struggle on foot but finally becoming exhausted laid down in the snow. When found his head was resting on his arm with a peaceful expression on his countenance as though he had gone to sleep and death had claimed him while in that condition, which was undoubtedly the case. He was bundled up in a buffalo coat and his head was covered with a heavy winter cap encircled with a woolen muffler, the mitten of the right hand was gone and his vest was unbuttoned, the theory advanced being that as he always carried a note book or diary in his inside vest pocket, he had taken his mitten off and unbuttoned his vest to get the book in order to write some last request when he saw that he was likely to perish in the storm and that the book and mitten were dropped in the snow and lost as no trace of them has been found. The body of the deceased was in a fair state of preservation, so much so, outside of the discoloration, that the features were perfectly natural, and his relatives have the satisfaction of knowing that the remains were unmistakably identified, something unusual in a case where a body had remained exposed to the elements for so long a period. Mr. Elder's brothers in this city feel very grateful to Mr. Murphy and others in Minot and vicinity for the interest they took in the matter and will ever remember the acts of kindness extended.

Geo. F. Merwarth, aged 42 years, died at his home in East Brainerd on Tuesday morning of heart failure. Mr. Merwarth has not been well for some time and his death while a shock to his family and friends was not entirely unexpected. The deceased was a highly esteemed citizen and had been an employee of Parker & Topping in the Northern Pacific laundry for some time. The funeral will be held this (Friday) afternoon from the residence in East Brainerd under the auspices of Unity Lodge No. 194, I. O. O. F., the Moulders Union also participating, and Rev. D. D. McKay will preach the funeral sermon. Relatives of the family from Parsons, Kansas, are expected to arrive on the afternoon train today to attend the last rites. The deceased leaves a wife and five small children to mourn his loss.

Mrs. Samuel Gerard, aged 63 years, died at her home south of Brainerd on Saturday last of heart disease. Funeral services were conducted on Tuesday from the Catholic church, Rev. Fr. Lynch officiating.

Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson mourn the death of an infant daughter, aged 13 months, which occurred on Thursday. The funeral will be on Sunday from the residence, Rev. Rondo officiating.

New Paper for Cass.

A. G. Bernard will start a new paper at Walker at once, which will be known as the Walker Pilot. Under a law passed by the last legislature to fit this exact case, a newspaper in a newly organized county may be established and at once become a legal newspaper for official publications. Whether arrangements have been made with the commissioners whereby the new publication will get the legal advertising of the county or not remains to be seen, but undoubtedly that is the plan. The Cass County Pioneer, which has struggled along for some years, is, for some reason best known to the locality in which it is published, not suited to a new, bustling town, and hence it was deemed necessary by the powers that be to make it possible for another paper to live there.

Encampment.

The 12th annual encampment of the Park Region Association, G. A. R., will be held in this city on June 22nd, 23rd and 24th. Arrangements are being made to make it a grand success.

Not Dead but Drunk.

On Monday W. D. McKay received a telegram from the superintendent's office at Duluth stating that the engineer on No. 6 had reported a dead man lying near the west whistling post at Wheelock and requested him to notify Coroner Dean and have him go on No. 5 to the place and report the result of the investigation to that office. Mr. Dean had about nine minutes to get his pick up box to the depot as the train was in when he got the message from Mr. McKay over the telephone. In order to get the "fall" particulars regarding the fatality the writer accompanied the coroner on his trip. When the whistling post was reached the conductor kindly let the coroner, the newspaper man and the coffin off and a thorough search for two miles up and down the track revealed nothing dead and the idea dawned upon the two men that either the dead man had come to life or the railroad man who reported the matter was an infernal provicator.

At this juncture it was remembered that a section crew had been sighted some two miles down the track and their services were secured to convey the box and the men that accompanied it to Motley where it was found that the dead man was only dead drunk and had been lying near the track at the point indicated until just previous to the arrival of the party that had been sent out to pick him up.

The good people of Motley, however did not propose to let Coroner Dean return to Brainerd without a "stiff" and they very neatly arranged a figure representing a man clad in overalls, rubber coat, cap, etc., and placed it in the pick-up box and when Mr. Dean opened the box at the express office here on Wednesday morning to see what made it so infernal heavy, as he termed it, he discovered the joke that had been so neatly perpetrated.

Let it be Brainerd.

The Minneapolis Journal is authority for the statement that James Theilman has issued a challenge to any trap shot in Minnesota, for \$1,000 a side, the terms of the match to be 50 clay birds, sixteen yards rise, 50 live birds, thirty yards rise, and the gun to be 12-gauge. It is also stipulated that the match shall occur at Brainerd, Little Falls or Duluth.

New Officers.

At the regular meeting of Ascalon Commandery No. 16, A. F. and A. M., Tuesday evening the following officers were elected for the ensuing term:

E. C.—George A. Keene.
Gen.—Geo. D. LaBar.
Capt. Gen.—Henry Ribble.
Sen. Warden—T. E. Netterauer.
Jun. Warden—F. B. Johnson.
Recorder—J. M. Nevers.
Recorder—E. M. Westfall.

Proceedings Board of Education.

The board of education held its regular monthly meeting on Monday evening, all members being present except Mr. Hurley.

A communication from Rev. Pen-treath, asking for the us of the old third ward school building for Sunday School purposes was referred to the committee on buildings and grounds.

The resignation of Miss Hawkins was accepted.

A communication from Miss Marilla Fuller asking for a change of room, was referred to the committee on teachers.

Miss Jennie Paine was granted a raise of \$5 per month the coming school year, on account of being a grammar grade teacher.

The complaint of Mr. Martin against Earl Mallory was referred to the committee on teachers.

The board purchased three globes from Mr. Adams for \$25.

The teachers of the city schools were requested to turn out with their classes on Memorial Day, and assist in the exercises.

The president-appointed Messrs. Preston, Dodd and Titze a special committee to provide lemonade, etc., for school children on Memorial Day.

Miss Johnson, Miss Jansen and Miss Woods were designated to assist in the state examination after the schools close.

The superintendent was given full control over all examination papers hereafter.

On motion the board proceeded to vote for high school principal. The informal ballot resulted as follows: Prof. Hanft 5, Prof. Biggs 2, Miss Johnson 2; the first formal ballot was: Hanft 5, Biggs 4. Eight ballots were taken without an election. The ninth ballot stood Hanft 3 and Biggs 6. Prof. Biggs having received a majority of the full board was declared elected, and his salary fixed at \$100 per month.

For first assistant principal of the high school Miss Jansen received 8 votes, and was declared elected and salary fixed at \$60 per month.

For second assistant principal of the high school Miss Holland received 8 votes and was declared elected and salary fixed at \$50 per month.

A ballot was taken on Miss Whiteley's application, which resulted in 6 votes for and 3 against. Having received a majority of the entire board, she was declared elected and her salary fixed at \$47.50 per month.

Miss Nellie Merritt was unanimously elected a teacher to fill vacancy caused by resignation of Miss Hawkins, and salary fixed at \$17.50.

The matter of electing a teacher for the new room expected to be opened in the third ward was deferred at this time.

The finance committee was instructed to borrow funds to meet current expenses.

Several claims against the board were audited and allowed.

It Ought to Interest You

To know that the Wisconsin Central Lines fast trains leaving St. Paul and Minneapolis daily for Ashland, Milwaukee and Chicago, reach almost all of the important cities in Wisconsin. If you intend making an eastern trip, consult your nearest ticket agent, who will give you complete information relative to the Wisconsin Central trains.

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Ladies' Shirt Waists, 50 and 75 cents, and upwards.

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Best Goods for Lowest possible Cost Price in our store.

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Step into our Grocery Department and save money at our house for yourself and us.

Arbuckle's, Lyon and XXXX Package Coffee	15c
400 pounds rolled oats for	\$1.00
Starch, per pound	6c
Saleratus, per pound	6c
5 pound sack of salt for	5c
30 bars best soap for	1.00
Parlor Matches, per box	12c
Cider-Vinegar, per gallon	25c
Diamond Drip Syrup, per gallon	30c
Breakfast Bacon, per pound	9c
Leaf Lard, per pound	7c
3-pound can of California Peaches	13c
Potatoes, per bushel	25c
Best 4-lb. parlor broom	25c
Toothpicks, per 1,000	2c
Best spices, ginger, pepper, and mustard, for 14 pound can	5c
Best soda crackers, per pound	7c
Best layer raisins, per pound	10c

All goods delivered to any part of the city in short order. Call and see us at the Old Stand,

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